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**REQUEST FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION
(RCE)**

Application Number	09/236,939
Filing Date	January 25, 1999
First Named Inventor	Kevin P. BAKER
Group Art Unit	1646
Examiner Name	John D. Ulm
Attorney Docket Number	9491-018-27X DIV

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This is a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. 1.114 of the above-identified application.
Note: If the above-identified application was filed prior to May 29, 2000, applicant may wish to consider filing a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d) instead of a RCE to be eligible for the patent term adjustment provisions of the AIPA.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. 1.114

- a. ☒ Previously submitted
- i. ☒ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 previously filed on July 30, 2002. (Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief filed on _____.
- iii. ☐ Other: _____.
- b. ☐ Enclosed
- i. ☐ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

2. Miscellaneous

- Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. 1.103(c)
- a. ☐ for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(i) required).
- b. ☐ Other _____.

3. Fees The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

- a. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 50-1442.
- i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e).
- ii. ☒ Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. 1.136 and 1.17).
- iii. ☐ Other _____.
- b. ☒ Check in the amount of \$ 1,260.00 enclosed.

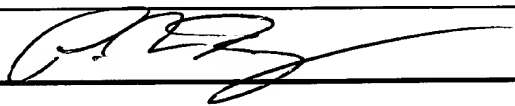
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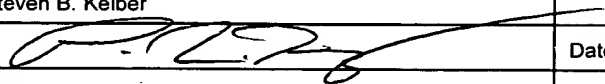
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1. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
- ☒ Charge any UNDERPAYMENT or credit any OVERPAYMENT in the indicated fees to Deposit Account No. 50-1442.
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FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

2. <input type="checkbox"/> Check enclosed.											Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)		Fee Paid
FEE CALCULATION											105	130	205	65	Surcharge-late filing fee or oath	
1. BASIC FILING FEE											127	50	227	25	Surcharge-late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description							139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)					Fee Paid		147	2520	147	2520	Ex parte reexam. fee		
101	740	201	370	Utility filing fee				0		115	110	215	55	1-mo. ext. of time		
106	330	206	165	Design filing fee						116	400	216	200	2-mo. ext. of time	-400	
107	510	207	255	Plant filing fee						117	920	217	460	3-mo. ext. of time	920	
108	740	208	370	Reissue filing fee						118	1440	218	720	4-mo. ext. of time		
114	160	214	80	Provisional filing fee						128	1960	228	980	5-mo. ext. of time		
SUBTOTAL (1)									\$0.00		119	320	219	160	Notice of Appeal	
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES											120	320	220	160	Appeal Brief	
tot. claims		14	-	20*	=	0	x	\$18	=	0	121	280	221	140	Request for Oral Hearing	
ind. claims		8	-	3*	=	5	x	\$84	=	0	142	1280	242	640	Utility/Reissue Issue Fee	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Multiple Dependent Claims							\$280	=		143	460	243	230	Design Issue Fee	
Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description							144	620	244	310	Plant Issue Fee	
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)								122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20							126	180	126	180	IDS Submission	
102	84	202	42	Independent claims in excess of 3							581	40	581	40	Assignment	
104	280	204	140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid							179	740	279	370	For Filing RCE	740
109	84	209	42	*Reissue independent claims over original patent							169	900	169	900	Expedited Design	
110	18	210	9	*Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent							OTHER (indicate below):					
SUBTOTAL (2)									\$0.00							
* or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above											SUBTOTAL (3)				\$1,260.00	

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